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July 8, 2003

Mr. Dion Novak
Superfund Division
United State Environmental Protection Agency
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Re: Monthly Progress Report – June 2003 Eagle Zinc Site, Hillsboro, Illinois

Dear Mr. Novak:

This progress report has been prepared pursuant to the December 31, 2001 Administrative Order by Consent (AOC) for the Eagle Zinc Company site located in Hillsboro, Illinois, and includes activities conducted during June 2003.

## I. Activities Conducted During Reporting Month

Activities conducted during the reporting period included:

- On behalf of the Eagle Zinc Site Parties, ENVIRON proposed the completion of supplementary off-site ground water and surface water sampling activities in a letter dated May 30, 2003.
- In a letter dated June 9, 2003, the proposed activities were approved by USEPA with the condition that an additional on-site monitoring well that was not installed in March 2003 due to access limitations be installed at the same time.
- The supplementary Phase 2 field activities were conducted on June 19 and 20, 2003 and laboratory analyses were initiated.

### II. Difficulties Encountered During Reporting Month

No difficulties were encountered during the reporting month.

#### III. Changes in Key Project Personnel

No changes in key project personnel have occurred.

## IV. Sampling and Testing Results

No sampling or testing results were received during the reporting period.

## V. Project Schedule

The current Project Schedule, including actual dates for completed tasks, is attached to this letter.

# VI. Activities Planned for Next Reporting Month

The following activities are planned for July 2003:

- Receipt of laboratory analytical data collected during the supplemental phase of Phase 2 sampling and validation of the data.
- Compilation of the additional sampling data into the draft Phase 2 Technical Memorandum, which is scheduled for submission to USEPA by August 10, 2003.

If you have any questions concerning this progress report, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

**ENVIRON International Corporation** 

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Attachment

cc: Thomas Krueger, Esq. – USEPA Region 5 (w/o attachment)

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